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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: GRAF

Application No.: 10/774,872

Filing Date: 02/09/2004

Title: SURFACE TECHNOLOGY

Group Art Unit/Examiner: 1755 / Elizabeth D. Wood

Attorney Docket No.: GRA102USA

REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIRMENT WITH ELECTION

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action dated 06/07/2005 (Paper No. ____), Applicant hereby elects to prosecute the claims of Group I.

REMARKS

The Examiner has requested election and restriction between Groups I-III.

Applicant elects to prosecute the claims of Group I.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (IF APPLICABLE)

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